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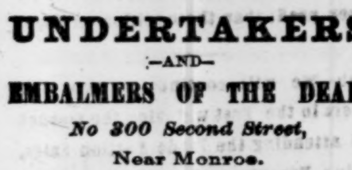

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FROM ARKANSAS.

CROCKETT'S BLUFF, ARK., August 19, 1868.
Editors Memphis Appeal:

A rousing meeting of the "unterrified" Democracy came off yesterday, at Mt. Adams, in this county. Hon. W. W. Drummond, Congressional Elector, and late delegate to the National Convention, addressed the people, and his speech, replete as it was with eloquence, argument and tact, aroused the most extraordinary enthusiasm.

The thorough political knowledge of Judge Drummond, and his fearless advocacy of our glorious country—saving principles—make his selection as standard-bearer for this district the very best that could have been made. Yesterday's speech is the first shot, and the Judge intends to follow it up with a thorough canvass in this Congressional district.

There is no doubt that, if we do our duty, this State can be carried for Seymour and Blair.

The APPEAL is, of course, the most popular paper that circulates in our State. We still consider Gen. Pike a son of Arkansas. BOB H. C.

MISSISSIPPI.

—*Our Own Paper* comes to us from Pontotoc very much improved in appearance. It is a real live Democratic sheet, and is doing a deal of good in its sphere.

—The Friar's Point *Coahomian* of the 22d inst. says: The weather continues unsettled and fears are entertained by our farmers that the cotton crop will be cut short in consequence of too much rain.

—The Aberdeen *Examiner* is informed by Col. Wadley, of Smithville, that twelve of the freedmen who joined the Democratic Club at Smithville, the other day, were among the most virulent Loyal Leaguers in the State, thirty days ago.

The same paper says of the weather and crops: The weather for the past few days has been alternating between sun and shower, with preponderance in favor of the latter. The worms are creating terrible alarm in the praries, and have appeared upon many plantations in immense numbers. They have not yet, however, made their appearance on the east side of the river.

ARKANSAS.

—The Ashley county *Times* is going it strong on the railroad project. It is right. A railroad would be the making of Hamburg.

—The White river *Journal*, a Radical sheet, referring to the "wiping out" of some thieving, corn-stealing, carpet-bag scoundrel, says: We do not know whose turn it may be next, but as we walk through "the valley of the shadow of death," we must carry our lives in our hands and our hands upon our weapons.

To this the Little Rock *Gazette* (which, by the way, we are glad to welcome back to our exchange table—it having been quite a stranger of late) adds sarcastically: "Certainly. The thieving and robbing business is an uncertain one."

—On the 15th, Militia Maj. R. F. Catterson, "organized some seventy or more, colored men, who had previously been enrolled by him," says Jeemes Tom Elliott. The intention is understood to be peaceful to those who vote the republican ticket.

—The following is from the Augusta *Sentinel* of Friday: The second meeting of the press of Northeast Arkansas will be holden in our city on Wednesday, the 9th of September next. We hope to see a full attendance on that occasion, and trust that the meeting may prove beneficial to all concerned, elevate the tone of the press, establish union of sentiment and interest, and improve this medium for the principles of truth, and propagation of justice and liberty.

Father Ryan on "Irish Radicals."

The able and well edited journal, the *Banner of the South*, published at Augusta, Ga., and edited by Father Ryan, speaking of the Irish Radical club of that place, makes use of the following:

We have charity enough for a Northern American Radical, or a Protestant Radical; but none whatever for an Irishman or a Catholic who embraces the political creed of that party. They have no excuse, no pretext. They have seen their own land deluged with the blood of martyrs, their religion proscribed, their priests hunted down as if they were dogs, their property confiscated, their schools closed up, their children deprived of the means of education, their families starved to death, their leading men hung or banished for no other crime than loving Ireland, and the glorious old faith of St. Patrick too much. They have seen and felt all this; and to-day they see Radicalism preaching and teaching the same bigotry and intolerance that led to all their woes and sufferings. They see in Grant a hater of their religion, in Colfax a persecutor of their race and creed, in Breckinridge, the Radical apostle, a would-be destroyer of foreigners and Catholics—in all the leaders and journals of that party the life-long intolerants and persecutors of everything foreign and Roman Catholic. And yet these Augusta Irishmen dare to stand up in the light of the day and proclaim themselves members of such party! "Oh! shame where is thy blush!" Is there no feeling, no self-respect at all left in these minions of power, these tools of degradation, these vile, polluted creatures? Are they so debased, so ignorant, so wicked, that they can be brought away from the faith of their fathers and barter the glories of Ireland for a policeman's place, or a constable's baton, or act as a lackey to corrupt and degraded political tricksters? Shame on them! Ireland spurns them—America despises them! As for us, we loathe them; we pity the unfortunate city of Augusta that it has to endure the presence of these debauched creatures, and thank them for giving us the gratifying privilege of erasing their names from the subscription books of the *Banner of the South*. They are not wanted. We don't want them to stand among the names of pure women, and true men, and innocent children of the South, who are so faithful and devoted to the "lost cause;" we don't want them to stand among the names of the sincere and earnest Catholics and true hearted Irishmen who love principle better than place, and would not disgrace their religion or their native land by sacrificing the interests and the property of their adopted country. Yes, let them go! and in the condemnation of their own consciences let them dwell. Perhaps they may, ere long, open their eyes to the folly and wickedness of their course, and repent of the evil thing which they have done. If not, let them forswear their faith and nationality. The anomaly is too great—too striking to exist. They cannot be Irish Catholics and American Radicals. They must give up the one or the other, and the sooner the better.

MISS ELDER, daughter of Thomas Elder, of New Orleans, took the veil at the convent of the Good Shepherd in St. Louis, a day or two ago.

G. W. HAYES, of Alabama, a State Senator, was arrested in St. Louis on Thursday, for keeping a low dance saloon.

A REVISED international telegraph treaty was signed in a European telegraph conference, at Vienna, July 21.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Noon Dispatches.

NEW YORK, August 24.—A gang of thieves, numbering about half a dozen young roughs, who have committed their depredations in Brooklyn for some time past, were arrested yesterday. One of their number, thinking he had been betrayed, exposed the whole party.

A man named Derhoff, in trying to separate two men who were fighting, in Flushing avenue, Williamsburg, last Saturday night, was struck on the head with a shovel by one of them named Philip Hartling, and was so badly injured that his life is despaired of. Hartling was arrested.

A telegram from the White Sulphur Springs states that Gen. Rosecrans was there for the purpose of consulting with Gen. Lee and other Southern Generals in regard to a plan for a general reconciliation of the people of both sections of the country.

In accordance with this programme, a private meeting was held, at which Gens. Lee, Longstreet, Beauregard, Ewell, Echols and Hunter, and A. A. H. Stuart, John B. Baldwin, Governors Stockdale, of Texas, Pickens, of South Carolina, and Walker, of Alabama, were present with Gen. Rosecrans.

A long consultation took place and a plan of action agreed upon, but nothing further has transpired of the proposed movement. It is believed an address will be issued to the Southern people by their former leaders.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 23.—The trial of the California steam plow yesterday, was pronounced a success. The machine moved about the usual speed of horses, cutting earth six inches deep, casting the soil to one side, leaving the ground the same as if dug with a spade. There was a numerous attendance of farmers and others to witness the trial.

BALTIMORE, August 24.—The fight for the championship of the light weights and $2000, between Sam Collier and Billy Edwards, will take place to-day, at a point where the Potomac enters into the Chesapeake bay, in Albemarle or Northumberland county, Va. It is reported the military will attempt to stop the fight. Barney Aaron and Dooney Harris will be the seconds of Edwards, and Johnny Roche and Johnny Newell will perform the same office for Collier.

THE BIERFIELD TRAGEDY.

Hitherto Disputed Points Satisfactorily Settled.

[From the Franklin Review.]

HOW THE FATAL LETTER CAME TO LIGHT

This letter was received by John Nolen, who, being unable to read, called upon one of our citizens to read it for him.

He commenced reading it laoud, but had not proceeded far when his attention was called off, and remarking to John that the letter was very badly written, he told him that he would read it to him after awhile. John then told him to put the letter in his pocket, which he did and left immediately to come up town for the purpose of making some settlements with parties from whom he had purchased wheat. Before reaching his usual place of business, he discovered that the paper upon which his wheat weights had been set down was missing, together with other papers, amongst them John Nolen's letter. Believing that he had dropped them from his pocket when starting hurriedly from the depot, where John had handed him the letter, he returned thither and spoke of the loss and others joined him in the search for the missing papers. Most if not all of his private papers were found; but the letter had disappeared. How it reached the hands of Ezell's friends we cannot tell, although there is no doubt that it was the moving cause of the action taken on last Sunday night.

WAS THE KILLING DONE BY THE KU-KLUX?

Our first idea when we heard of the tragedy, was that it was committed by the Kuklux, but now we have reason for doubting this. Very many of those who were engaged in the transaction were not only without masks, but did not have on the usual robes which are said to be universally worn by that ghostly klan. Their horses were without covering, and although many of the citizens made earnest efforts to recognize the horsemen, none were able to do so. This utter disregard as to whether they were recognized or not, does not suit our preconceived ideas about the Kuklux.

WAS THE DEED INDORSED BY THE PEOPLE OF FRANKLIN?

The Radical talk about the citizens rescuing him (Bierfield) is simply ridiculous, and emanates alone from men ensconced in their rooms out of danger's reach. What could our citizens do with an armed band who came on this desperate and bloody errand so suddenly? Bierfield had shed the blood of Ezell. Could he expect to stay quietly in reach of the friends of the young man after his guilt was known?

Many of our citizens urged upon them (the avengers of blood) the impropriety of their course and were rudely repulsed. Every effort was made which could be made to save the life of the unfortunate man, but the party who had him in charge were deaf to all entreaties.

A more quiet, orderly, peaceable community than Franklin is not in the Union. The property and lives of all are as secure here as they are upon Boston common; provided, always, that every one keeps out of just such scrapes as Bierfield was engaged in.

EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY TO ASSASSINS THE ROOT OF THE EVIL.

We are fully satisfied that the only thing which has given rise to this condition of affairs in our State is the unwarrantable and injudicious exercise of the pardoning power by the Governor. When he (the Governor) ceases to override the judgment of the juries of the courts of the country there will be no longer any excuse for the course pursued by the Kuklux. Let the guilty be punished in the manner prescribed by law, and we will have no more such scenes as that witnessed here on last Saturday night to record.

IS ISRAEL BROWN A MYTH?

Israel Brown, the writer of the letter, is personally known to most of our citizens, and to our Representative, Dr. McFall. He fled from here, with others, the next day after the murder of Ezell, and has been hiding about Nashville, awaiting the passage of the militia bill, so he could come back and lord it over the "poor whites" of this community.

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2d National Bank Stock	6,400	8,320 00
3d " " "	10,000	10,200 00
Exchange " " "	10,000	10,000 00
Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Stock	20,000	26,000 00
Wilmington & Weldon R. R. Bonds	15,000	15,000 00
Annapolis Water Loan	5,000	5,000 00
Tennessee State Bonds	30,000	22,500 00
Virginia State Bonds	30,000	15,000 00
	$269,400	$275,755 00
Bills discount'd secur'd by collaterals		2,825 48
Office build'g. clear of encumbrances		21,000 00
Accrued interest		6,936 34
Weybassett National Bank		415 22
Notes for Marine premiums		123,890 14
Cash on hand and due by Agents		74,271 82
		$505,093 98

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock, all paid up	$250,000 00
Losses adjusted but not due	37,588 77
Losses reported—estimated	47,856 46
Estimated am't to reinsure Fire Risks	95,766 36
" " " Marine "	63,286 53
Bills payable	10,0.0 00
Dividend unpaid	487 50
2d National Bank	108 36
	$505,093 98

STATE OF MARYLAND, City of Baltimore. } ss.

The undersigned, John W. Randolph, President, and Henry C. Jones, Secretary, being duly sworn, do severally upon their oaths certify and say, that they are respectively the President and the Secretary of the United States Fire and Marine Insurance Company of Baltimore, in the State aforesaid, that the foregoing statement contains a just and true statement and exhibit of the standing and condition of said company on the 1st day of July, 1868. JOHN W. RANDOLPH, President.
HENRY C. JONES, Secretary.

Sworn and subscribed to this 17th day of July, 1868, before me, a Justice of the Peace for the city of Baltimore.
[Signed] E. F. FLAHERTY, J. P.

STATE OF TENNESSEE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Nashville, July 25, 1868. }

I, G. W. BLACKBURN, Comptroller of the Treasury, do hereby certify that the United States Insurance Company, located at Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, has produced to me satisfactory evidence that said Company has complied with all the requirements of the laws of the State of Tennessee imposed on Insurance Companies, and I further certify that G. W. L. CROOK, Agent of said Company, has also complied with the requirements of the laws of the State, made and provided in such cases:

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TEST OATHS, AND THE FRANCHISE LAW OF TENNESSEE.

[No. 5]

The counsel for the State of Missouri, in the case of Cummings, insisted that the act requiring a test oath was not, in the nature of an *ex post facto* law. They said that it did not declare any past act of the defendant to be an offence, nor prescribe for any such act any forfeiture whatever, much less the deprivation of a property right. It *did* make *sympathy* with the rebellion an offence, because it caused it to produce the consequences of an offence. If a law says, "Whoever shall do this or that shall thereby become incapable to vote," no more is needed to constitute the act an *offence*. An *innocent* act cannot be punished by deprivation of a common right. It *did* prescribe a forfeiture for the act,—forfeiture of the right to vote. What manner of right that is, we have already seen. But the counsel also said, of the exclusion from the right to vote, of a party who could not take the oath: "It is not a new or additional penalty or forfeiture for the crime of treason. *It was not so intended.* In its true purpose, such an act is not a criminal law at all. It is an act to fix the qualification of voters, and applies to the innocent as well as to the guilty."

It *was* intended as a punishment and penalty for rebellion. It was in its essence a criminal law. It did not *apply* to those who could take the oath, for it imposed no penalty on them. On those who could not, it imposed a disqualification, taking from them a right before possessed, a privilege and franchise secured by the Constitution of the State. How can any juggling with words change the nature of such a law; and how did counsel dare to say that it was not intended to work a penalty or forfeiture?

The argument of that great lawyer, Reverdy Johnson, was an utter demolition of every position assumed by the counsel for the test oath. Considering the question whether the act imposed a *punishment*, he said that the argument, as well as the act, assumed that crime had been committed, and that it was important to the State that all who had been guilty of that crime should be forever excluded from any of the offices and employments mentioned in the act. He said: "Then it was put there evidently for the purpose *of disfranchising* those who were thus assumed to be guilty. Whether they were guilty or not, and how they were to be punished if that guilt should be established by due course of law, is one question. Whether, if guilty, they could be punished in the way in which they are punished by this Constitution, is a different question. If they are guilty, and are to be punished, how that guilt is to be established is a third question."

"How was their guilt to be established, according to the requirements of the Constitution, if the charge of treason was made against them? By two witnesses. What would be the effect upon an individual, if he was convicted? No disfranchisement. Capacity to hold office as far as any legal disability was concerned—capacity to appear as attorney—capacity to pursue his religious pursuits; all would remain unaffected."

He said that the provision was not only thus *ex post facto;* that it not only imposed an additional punishment, but it changed altogether the evidence by which, under the present law, the crime was to be established. He said, "What does the State Constitution do? Does it not exclude, because of the crime, in consequence of the crime, and only in consequence of the crime?" He said that it did; and that it was a punishment of the crime just as effectually as if a party were tried upon an indictment and convicted, and on that conviction excluded from the right to preach. He said that the law was even more effective than an indictment; for, if indicted, there might not be evidence to convict, as the party could not be made to bear witness against himself. And he asked whether, if the law had provided that if a party refused to take the oath, he should be fined or imprisoned, it would not be void?

Replying to the proposition that the act was simply a law defining the qualifications of voters, he said, "Is it so? In one sense it is so; but is that the sense in which the provision has been incorporated in the Constitution? To prescribe age, property qualification, or any other qualification that anybody has an equal opportunity of acquiring, is one thing; to disqualify because of imputed crimes, is quite another thing."

On another ground, which the counsel do not seem to have considered, the act was palpably null. It *could* not disqualify a person for not swearing that he had not done a particular act, no matter what. That is, it could not make the refusal to take such an oath an offence. It proposed to use the oath as a means of disqualifying for the previous commission of the acts which it required him to swear that he had *not* committed. The party is to be disqualified because he has been guilty of a crime known to the law. Clearly he cannot be arbitrarily disqualified without any cause at all. He is therefore to be deemed guilty of the crime, if he will not purge himself of the imputation of it, by swearing that he is not guilty.

Now, guilt cannot be established in that way. Every one is innocent for all legal purposes, until his guilt is established by due process of law. No other mode of proof of it can be substituted for the trial and conviction, when the purpose is to incapacitate or punish.

We have inadvertently spoken of the Missouri enactment as an act of the Legislature. It was, indeed, a part of the new Constitution of the State.

The opinion of the Court was delivered by Mr. Justice FIELD, a Judge appointed by President Lincoln. He said: "It by no means follows that, under the form of creating a qualification or attaching a condition, the States can in effect inflict a punishment for a past act which was not punishable at the time it was committed." As little did it follow that under that form, a State could inflict any punishment, even for an offence defined by the law, without due trial and conviction.

The Court said that the oath was exacted, because it was thought that the several acts deserved punishment, and that for many of them there was no way to inflict punishment except by depriving the parties who had committed them, of some of the rights and privileges of the citizen. They said that it was not required as a means of ascertaining whether parties were qualified or not for their respective callings, or the trust with which they were charged: but that it was required in order to reach the person, not the calling.

We are not so sure that this idea is entitled to any respect. If there is a *direct* way to reach a given point, there is little wisdom and much impolicy in taking a circuitous one, which soon loses us in the mazes of error. It may be very forcibly and truly urged that it is a question of fitness and qualification; that men who have just laid down their arms and acknowledged themselves conquered, are not *fit* to be entrusted by the conqueror with the right to vote,—not *fit*, because to reinvest them with this power would be dangerous and calamitous to the commonwealth.

Concede that we *were* rebels. Sneak around, and crook the supple hinges of the knee to power, and by adulation seek to secure immunity. Admit that the lost cause was a dishonorable cause. Admit that the meaning of the Constitution, and its essential virtue have been changed by the wager of battle; that the cause that fails was, *therefore*, wrong; and that force and arms have determined that the Constitution is no longer a compact between the States, but a supreme law, enacted by "the good people of these colonies," named in the Declaration of Independence, deriving its whole sanction, power and authority from the arbitrary will of *that* people,—admit this; and it certainly follows that being conquered rebels and unconvicted traitors, we are *not fit* to have any voice in the affairs of the nation that has conquered us, and so, it is contended, settled in the last resort, that we are felons, not deserving to live.

The Missouri Constitution had a right to make loyalty, as it defined it, one of the qualifications of voters, and to withhold the right of suffrage from those then lately in arms against the Union. But we say, in the first place, that there is but one lawful mode of knowing that a man has been guilty of treason, and that is by indictment or presentment, trial by jury and conviction by due process of law. The man not so adjudged guilty, is presumed to be innocent. So that, disqualify as you may men guilty of treason, and still you disqualify none but those who may be duly convicted.

And, in the second place, we say that when Missouri and Tennessee entered the Union, each agreed that levying war against the Nation should be treason, not against Missouri, but against *all* the States united as corporators in one National Corporation, THE UNITED STATES; that if an act constitutes treason against the United States, it is treason against a single State, only as one of the United States, and cannot be punished by it alone; and, moreover, that if the offence is pardoned by the President, the guilt is utterly effaced, and there is no possible mode by which the party can be disfranchised for doing that which in law is now held never to have been done.

Missouri, therefore, *could* not disfranchise any one, for committing treason against the United States, when he had been pardoned; and if she could, she could not establish his guilt in any other than the lawful mode of conviction by a jury.

The Supreme Court said, that the disabilities created by the Constitution of Missouri must be regarded as penalties, —that they constituted *punishment*. The Court said, and in a language which *lawyers* know how to use and love to hear:

"We do not agree with the counsel of Missouri, that to *punish* one is to deprive him of life, liberty or property; and that to take from him anything less than these is no punishment at all. The learned counsel does not use these terms—life, liberty and property—as comprehending every right known to the law. He does not include, under 'Liberty,' freedom from outrage on the feelings, as well as restraints on the person. He does not include under 'Property' those estates which one may acquire in professions, though they are often the source of the highest emoluments and honors."

We have already shown that a franchise, such as the right to vote, *is* property, and not merely a right; that by the law of England it is property, which may be recovered by an action; and that a man can only be deprived of it by the judgment of his peers, or due process of law, the latter of which means trial, conviction and judgment by a court. Again the Court says:

"The deprivation of *any* rights, civil or political, previously enjoyed, may be punishment, the circumstances attending, and the causes of the deprivation determining this fact. Disqualification from office may be punishment, as in cases of conviction upon impeachment. Disqualification from the pursuits of a lawful avocation, or from positions of trust, or from the privilege of appearing in the courts, may also and often has been imposed as punishment."

"Punishment," as the Court said, "not being restricted to the deprivation of life, liberty and property, but also embracing deprivation or suspension of political or civil rights," the disqualification created by the statute of Tennessee is punishment for an offence which the State has no *right* to punish, and which punishment is inflicted without ascertainment of the guilt by any lawful mode.

The Court, quoting the language of Chief Justice Marshall, in *Fletcher vs Peck*, 6 Cranch 137, said that the framers of the Constitution viewed with some apprehension the violent acts which might grow out of the feelings of the moment; and that the People of the United States," [that is, the people of each separate State], "in adopting that instrument, have manifested a determination to shield themselves and their property from the effects of those sudden and strong passions to which men are exposed. *The restrictions on the legislative power of the States are obviously founded in this sentiment;* and the Constitution of the United States contains what may be deemed a Bill of Rights for the people of each State."

The Constitution is a contract, bargain, agreement and compact *between* the States, by which each *agreed* to refrain from exercising the odious powers which are ordinarily said to be *prihibited* by a will superior to the States, the will of the ONE PEOPLE OF ALL." The States are not Satellites, dark, dull and material, like our earth, revolving round a great central Sun, and from it drawing all their life and light and heat, of which it is the source; but a Constellation of fixed States, *each* a sun to its own system, all peers and equals, though of different magnitudes, all moving together as if animated by one soul, and retaining their relative positions during the long process of the Centuries of Time. That is the meaning of the motto, "E Pluribus Unum," on the flag whose stars symbolize this equality, sovereignty and independence of each of the kingly stars of the Great Imperial Constellation,—one Constellation of many stars, not one People of the People of many States;—one chain composed of many links, each perfect in itself, and the powers of the one composed of the many, being the powers of the many acting in unison.

BY TELEGRAPH.

Night Dispatches.

KANSAS.

OMAHA, August 24.—Twenty-one carloads of Mormons left here Saturday for Utah.

JUNCTION CITY, August 24.—An old citizen of this place named Reynolds was taken by parties unknown, Saturday night, and hung to a tree. His back was placarded: "Horse thieves beware, we know you."

BOSTON.

BOSTON, August 24.—The city of Cambridge is extending its hospitalities to the Chinese Embassy to-day. The programme includes military and civil procession, and collation at the City Hotel. The Celestials manifested much interest in listening to an organ last night, a concert having been given for their benefit.

CINCINNATI.

CINCINNATI, August 24.—The first bale of new cotton was received here to-day, and ranked as strict middling. It was sold on 'Change at 56c.

The cattle plague continues to spread amongst cows in this vicinity, 44 having died since Saturday, and 130 others are in a dying condition. A post mortem examination was made of one of them and every organ showed marks of contagion.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, August 24.—A Baltimore special says Collyer and Edwards, accompanied by about 600 roughs, left there at 12 o'clock. Edwards is so unwell that it is said no fight will take place.

The Lavoge wing of Fenians is in convention here, which is to last ten days. A Fenian Soldiers' Convention is also to be held.

Two thousand emigrants arrived today from Liverpool.

Ebenezer Irving, brother of Washington Irving, died yesterday at Sunny Side, aged ninety-three.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, August 24.—Information has been received from Alexandria, Va., that Judge Thomas, of the Virginia Circuit Court, in the case of the Alexandria and Washington Railroad Company against the Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown Railroad, to-day rendered a decree turning over the road between Washington and Alexandria to the former company, and appointing commissioners to ascertain the liabilities, etc This militates against the decree of Judge Underwood, of the United States District Court, and further complicates litigation. Meanwhile the road is run by lessees.

The Treasury Department yesterday received a remittance of $5000 in coin for customs and duties collected in Alaska.

KANSAS.

FORT LEAVENWORTH, August 24.—The following order has been issued by Gen. Sherman, dated Fort Harker, August 24th: "In consequence of recent open hostilities on the part of the Cheyennes and Arapahoes, embracing the murder of twenty unarmed citizens of the State of Kansas, wounding of many more, and acts of outrage on women and children too atrocious to detail, the Major General commanding, under authority of the Lieutenant General commanding this military division, directs the forcible removal of those Indians to their reservations south of Kansas, and that they be compelled to deliver up the perpetrators of the guilty acts. All persons whomsoever are hereby forbidden to have intercourse with or give aid or assistance to these Indians until there is due notice given hereafter that the requirements of this order have been carried out."

SOUTH CAROLINA.

COLUMBIA, August 24.—The *Republican* denies the recent report that the Legislature proposes to repudiate a certain class of State bonds, and also the assets of the State Bank, which are pledged to pay them. Only the profits of the bank are pledged to pay the bonds, and the bank has made no profits. The bonds are secure with or without the law—the law, if possible, strengthening them. The explanation of the matter is that the Legislature of 1865 appropriated the assets of the bank to foreign bond-holders, depriving the bill-holders of their prior claim. The present bill reverses that action, and protects the bill-holders as creditors of the State.

CHARLESTON, August 24.—Hon. J. B. Campbell started for Washington to-day to present to President Johnson an address from the people of Charleston setting forth the dangerous condition of the city, the inability of the civil authorities to preserve the peace if riot should occur, announcing the determination of the white people to be moderate, and avoid as far as possible all collision, and asking the President to provide for the protection of the city.

FOREIGN.

MARSEILLES, August 24.—The Grand Duke Alexes Alexandrowitch, of Russia, sailed from Algeria on Saturday last for the United States.

LONDON, August 24.—Dispatches from Calcutta state that the eclipse of the sun was plainly visible throughout India, except at Bombay where rain fell.

Official dispatches from Lucerne, Switzerland, concerning the attempted assassination of Queen Victoria, show that there was no truth in the report as before published. An insane Englishman—not a Fenian—was seen trying to enter the Queen's apartment, and was promptly taken care of.

Great interest is taken here in the race which comes off to-morrow between the American yacht Sappho and the English yachts. Four of the best and fastest yachts in the English squadron have been selected to compete with the Sappho.

FLORENCE, August 24.—The Italian Senate has ratified the convention made with the tobacco manufacturers, and adjourned.

PARIS, August 24.—The *Constitution* says: "Since the pacific speech of the Emperor at Troyls, the European situation is more settled, and confidence in the permanency of peace is everywhere gaining ground." The *Constitution* advises capitalists to reassure themselves, and urges them to act on the guarantee of security thus given by the Government.

M. Magne, minister of finance, has made a report to the Emperor on the success of the late loan proposed by the Government. He says every good citizen should rejoice to see in this measure the most effectual means of maintaining peace and making it the source of prosperity to the Empire.

BERLIN, August 24.—Count Von Bismarck while riding out near his castle in Pomerania, yesterday, was thrown from his horse and severely bruised. His injuries are not, however, of a serious nature.

ST. LOUIS.

ST. LOUIS, August 24.—Dispatches from South Pass City, of the 22d, say that on the 11th a train was attacked eighty miles east of that place by Sioux Indians. One man was killed, and wagons and stock captured. On the 20th Maj. Baldwin and five men were attacked sixty miles east, and two whites severely wounded, and three Indians killed. The day following three whites were attacked at the same place. One escaped, and others were doubtless slain, as they were closely pressed. Advices from Leesburg, New Mexico, mention Indian depredations in that region also between Forts Sheldon and McRae.

The *Democrat* will publish to-morrow what purports to be an expose of a Democratic secret armed organization, designed to carry the State for Seymour and Blair. That journal says several companies are already organized and armed in this city, and it has information of the existence of the organization in several counties in the State, and that it is connected with and similar to organizations in Kentucky, Tennessee and other Southern States.

TENNESSEE.

—The Bristol *News* says that Chief Justice Smith, of the Tennessee Supreme Bench, and a Congressman, whose name is not given, supped with a negro woman in that place last Wednesday, rather than stop with white people at the hotels of the town. *De gustibus non disputandum.*

—The Clarksville *Monitor* says: While riding a race upon the Fair Ground track on Tuesday evening, Mr. Chas. Seipert fell from his horse, causing a concussion of the brain. His whole right side was paralyzed, and up to the present writing he has remained unconscious and has never spoken.

—The Kingston *East Tennesseean* says that workmen at the works of the Roane Iron Company, near Post Oak Springs, in cutting a new road, struck a five feet vein of coal within two hundred yards of the furnace—an important item to the company, when it is considered that the discovery will obviate the necessity of conveying their coal three quarters of a mile, as they otherwise would have done.

—The Nashville *Banner* is responsible for the following: While Judge M. M. Brien was addressing a crowd at the markethouse Thursday night, Mr. D Brien and Martin Kockel got into a dispute. Some one cried out to Mr. Brien, "shoot him!" This caused no little consternation in the crowd, and a rush was made to get out of the way. In his hurry to escape the impending danger of being shot, the ear of one unlucky fellow was accidentally caught on a meat hook where he remained impaled, like an animated leg of pork or mutton, until relieved by his friends.

GEN. ROBT. E. LEE arrived at White Sulphur Springs on Friday night, and was received with great enthusiasm. Gov. Pickens, Gov. Letcher, Ex-Secretary of Interior Stuart, Gens. Echols, J. R. Anderson, and Linton Stevens are there. Secretary Browning has engaged a cottage, and arrived on Saturday. Gens. Ewell and Longstreet are also there. A large number of railroad officials and directors are there. Among them is Gen. G. T. Beauregard, President of the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Western Railway, discussing railroad matters.

Gen. Rosecrans, Minister to Mexico, is at the Rockbridge Alum Springs. He was to arrive at the Sulphur on Saturday. It is pretty generally understood that the interview between Gens. Lee and Rosecrans has in it matters of great importance to the country. Gen. Rosecrans was outspoken on the cars in regard to his mission.

A great masquerade ball will be given on Thursday next in honor of the distinguished visitors.

NEW ADVERTISEM'NTS

MASONIC NOTICE.—The members of South Memphis Lodge, No. 118, will meet at their Hall, this Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, for work in the E. A. and F. C. degrees.

Members of sister city Lodges and transient brothers in good standing are fraternally invited to attend.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

MALONE—The friends and acquaintances of Capt. George Malone are invited to attend the funeral of his wife, LOU CHEEK, on Wednesday evening, August 26th, at 4 o'clock, from the residence of her brother, Geo. W. Cheek, Second street, north of Henry street. Services by the Rev. Mr. Burns. Carriages in attendance, and at J. C. Holst & Co.'s.

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Commissioner's Sale.

BY virtue of a decree of the Chicot Circuit Court on the Chancery side thereof, rendered at the December Term, A. D., 1867, of said Court, in a certain suit therein pending, wherein Richard R. Sessions was complainant and Walter Sessions was defendant, the undersigned, Commissioner, appointed by said Court, will sell, on the

First Monday of January, A.D., 1869,

it being the 4th day of January, 1869, on the premises, in said county of Chicot, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the land in said decree mentioned and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning two chains and sixty-five links west of the southeast corner of section 36 in township 18 S 2 west, at a stake, bearing three maple, marked with a cross 24 inches in diameter; bears south 71° 30' west 40 links hackberry marked with a cross 15 inches in diameter; bears south 80°, east 45 links; thence west on township line 77 chains and 35 links to the southwest corner of section 36 and the southeast corner of section 35 corner red oak 18 inches in diameter, bearing north 14°, west 25 links; thence north on section line 120 chains to stake in field; thence west 40 chains to stake center of section 26; thence north 40 chains to half mile corner of sections 26 and 23 gum 14 inches in diameter, bearing north 84°, west 60 links; thence east 67 chains and 28 links to a mulberry post on bank of Old River Lake; thence meandering lake south 48°, east 8 chains and 24 links to stake; thence south 52° 30', east 21 chains 83 links to stake; thence south 50° east 14 chains and 29 links to stake; thence south 65°, west (leaving stake) 68 chains and 60 links to stake; thence south 43° 30', east 40 chains to stake; thence south 26° 30', east 78 chains and 50 links to point of beginning, containing nine hundred (900) acres of land, being situate and lying in township 16, south, range 2 west. Also the following lands to-wit: West part of N W ¼ of section 3 W of bayou E pt. ¼; S W ¼ of section 3, E of bayou E pt. ¼; S W ¼ section 3; N W ¼ S W ¼ S W ¼ section 3; T 17, R 3 W; W ½ section 21; E ½ section 3, T 17, R 2 W; east ½ section 35, T 16, S R 2 W. Also W ½ section 23; N E pt. ¼ of same section; S E ¼ same section and S W qd. ¼ section 23, T 16 S R 2 west, containing, with the tracts above described, twenty-seven hundred (2700) acres, more or less. All of the above described land fronts on Lake Chicot, about 2½ miles from Lake Village, in said county of Chicot and State of Arkansas, and the same will be sold in block or in quantities to suit purchasers in order to carry out said decree. This is one of the most valuable tracts of land in the South, about 1000 acres of which are in a high state of cultivation. The improvements are a fine Steam Gin in good order, two good Dwelling Houses and brick quarters, sufficient to accommodate 100 hands.

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L. H. SPRINGER, Commissioner. au25

In the District Court of the United States for the District of West Tennessee.—In the matter of Benjamin Bozhorn, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register.

To the creditors of the above named bankrupts

Take notice, that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of said Register, in the city of Memphis, in said District, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October, 1868, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

O. WOOLDRIDGE,
W. Y. CIRODE, Assignee.
Memphis, August 24, 1868. au25 2t

In the District Court of the United States for the District of West Tennessee.—In the matter of Klein & Wolf, bankrupts. In Bankruptcy, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register.

To the creditors of the above named bankrupts:

Take notice, that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held at the office of said Register, in the city of Memphis, in said District, on Thursday, the 8th day of October, 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purposes named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

O. WOOLDRIDGE,
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Memphis, August 24, 1868. au25 2t

In the District Court of the United States for the District of West Tennessee.—In the matter of W. D. Rogers, bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register.

To the creditors of the above named bankrupt:

Take notice, that a second general meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held at the office of said Register, in the city of Memphis, in said District, on Friday, the 9th day of October, 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose named in the 27th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2, 1867.

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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT.—A FIRST CLASS COTTON SHED, centrally located. Rent from the 1st September. Apply to H. S. DUNSCOMB, DeSoto Bank. au13 1m

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FOR RENT.—A FINE COTTAGE RESIDENCE with seven acres of Garden Land, on the Randolph road, two miles from Court Square, and just outside the corporate limits, will be rented low to a good prompt paying tenant. Present crop, etc., for sale low. Apply to T. GRAVES, Memphis Cotton Press, 184 Madison street. ma30 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—PATENT RIGHT.—The Patent Right of a newly invented "Lock Guard" for any State in the Union can be secured by application to the undersigned. It is useful, and will pay active men who engage in its sale. One in use at this office, where those interested can inspect it. Address SAM SHLOSS, Appeal. au8 tf

FOR SALE OR LEASE.—Beautiful, shaded and choice Building Lots, fronting on favorite residence streets, either cleared or with fine forest trees—very low. W. A. WHEATLEY, Agent Mrs. Col. Preston, No. 5 Bethel Block. jy22 2m

SUBURBAN LANDS AND RESIDENCE FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.—My lands, 3 miles east of the city, are for sale, on terms to suit purchasers, for cash or on any time—from one to ten years, and in any quantity—from 3 acres to 300. My residence, with from 14 to 23 acres land, will be sold at a great bargain, for cash, or on the usual terms. Apply to myself, on the premises, or to Royster, Trezevant & Co., my agents, in the city. N. M. TREZEVANT. je17

WANTS.

WANTED.—5000 bushels DRIED APPLES AND PEACHES. Highest market price paid at G. A. ECKERLY'S, 344 Front street, between Union and Gayoso streets. au23 4w

WANTED.—A situation as Book-keeper by an experienced business man and thorough accountant. Address B. C., Appeal office. au20

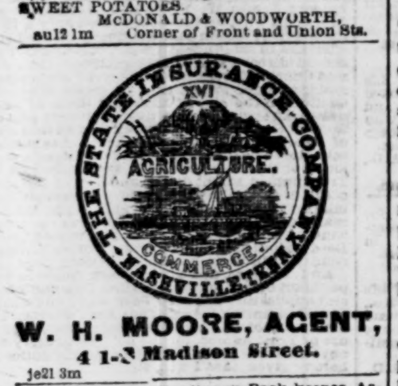
WANTED.—By an accomplished Southern Lady a situation as Teacher of the Piano and Singing in a private family or young ladies' seminary. References of the highest respectability given. Address L. M., care of Mrs. DeGray Bennet, No. 60 Second street, Memphis. au19 1m

AGENTS WANTED.—Campaign Lives of SEYMOUR AND BLAIR and GRANT AND COLFAX, beautifully colored Charts, Steel Portraits, Pins, Badges. Everything for the times—every voter wants them. GOODSPEED & CO., Memphis or New York. au18 1m

WANTED.—A HOUSE of six or seven rooms, convenient to business, or on some of the street railroads. Address W., care Appeal office. au16 1w

WANTED.—A small HOUSE, containing three rooms besides kitchen and servants' room, as near Court Square as possible. For terms and location address A., Appeal office. au16 tf

WANTED—DRIED APPLES AND PEACHES. None but bright halves. Also, No. 1 SWEET POTATOES. McDONALD & WOODWORTH, Corner of Front and Union Sts. au12 1m



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4 1-2 Madison Street.
je21 3m

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$20,000 IN BONDS DEPOSITED WITH the Comptroller of Tennessee. Blank forms furnished, and all inquiries promptly answered, on application in person or by letter.
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LOST--FOUND.

LOST.—A Lady's BREAST PIN, glass front, nothing inside, encircled with pearls, marked on back G. R. K. to Mrs. A. K. A liberal reward will be paid to the finder by returning to the Appeal office. au19 1w

$50 REWARD—STOLEN—On the night of the 29th of July, from the undersigned, near North Mount Pleasant, Miss., a dark bay HORSE MULE, 6 years old, lately trimmed, little bussoned, has a knot on right jaw, and is 16 hands high. Also, a light bay MARE MULE, 9 years old, has a white spot on back. The thieves—young white men, one wearing a Yankee blouse and the other Confederate gray—took a course toward Grenada. The above reward will be paid for information that will lead to the recovery of the mules, and an additional reward for the capture of the thieves. J. R. HOUSE. au11 2w*

STEAMBOATS.

FOR ST. LOUIS.

Memphis and St. Louis Packet Company.
For Cairo and St. Louis.
MARY FORSYTH............Alex. Zeigler master
This new and splendid passenger steamer will leave as above on
THIS DAY, 25th inst, at 5 p.m.
FLEM. CALVERT, Sup't. au25 1t

FOR NEW ORLEANS.

Regular New Orleans Packet.
ARGONAUT...........................Lusk master
This elegant passenger steamer will leave
THIS DAY, 25th inst., at 10 a.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD, Agent, City Wharfboat, foot Monroe st. au25 1t

ON MONDAY, THE 31st INST.,
—THE—
R. E. LEE, : : : Cannon, Master,
Will pass down, at 5 p.m., on her first trip of the season to New Orleans. Staterooms can be secured at
LARRY HARMSTAD, Agent, Star Wharfboat, foot Jefferson st. au22 td

FOR WHITE RIVER.

Memphis and White River U. S. Mail Packet Company.
For Helena, DeVall's Bluff, Little Rock, Augusta, Jacksonport and all Way Landings.
COMMERCIAL..........................Ashford master
This fine passenger packet leaves for the above on
TUESDAY, 25th inst., at 5 p.m.
For freight or passage apply to
LEVY & MILLER, Agents, 5 Jefferson street, under Commercial Hotel.
J. A. Sayers, Passenger Agent. au23 3t

FOR ST. FRANCIS RIVER.

Regular Tuesday St. Francis River Packet—For Helena Marianna, Madison, Wittsburg and all Way Landings.
MOLLIE HAMBLETON, T. R. Bowman Master
Sam. C. Paine, Shell and Clark, Clerks.
Will leave Memphis EVERY TUESDAY, at 5 o'clock p.m.
LARRY HARMSTAD, Agent, Star Wharfboat, foot Jefferson st. ja21 tf

Regular Memphis, White and Little Red River Thursday Packet.

DES ARC

JOHN D. ELLIOTT, Master; CAD. J. HANKS and MAT GLASS, Clerks.

THE steamer DES ARC having been put in thorough repair, will enter the MEMPHIS AND WHITE RIVER TRADE permanently on THURSDAY, the 3d day of September, 1868, leaving Memphis every Thursday for all points on White and Little Red rivers, connecting at Devall's Bluff with trains for Little Rock. Leaves Devall's Bluff for Memphis every Monday on arrival of train.

NOTICE.—To the Merchants of Memphis—The steamer DES ARC will resume her trips in the White River Trade on Thursday, the 3d day of September, 1868, and as I am satisfied that it is the wish of both the planter and merchant that the local packets receive and transport merchandise on which there is C. O. D. charges, and in view of the fact that the refusal to transport such freight has operated very much against the trade of Memphis, the steamer DES ARC (a home packet, owned and controlled in Memphis) will, on resuming her trips, receive all C. O. D. freight, and collect free of charge.

JOHN D. ELLIOTT, Master And Owner Steamer Des Arc. au2

MEMPHIS APPEAL.

Office—No. 13 Jefferson Street.

Mississippi and Tennessee Railroad.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Express, daily	3:00 p.m.	3:05 p.m.
Sardis accom'n, daily, except Sunday	8:30 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
Freight, (North Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; South, Monday, Wednesday and Friday)	4:15 p.m.	7.00 a.m.

Takes effect Sunday, August 16, 1868.
A. S. LIVERMORE, Gen'l Sup't.
C. P. OAKLEY Gen. Ticket Ag't. au16

Memphis and Charleston Railroad.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Through Mail (daily)	6:20 p.m.	12:40 p.m
Through Express	10:40 p.m.	11:30 p.m
(This train does not leave Saturdays.)		
Corinth Accommodation, daily, (except Sundays) at		6:00 a.m
Somerville Accommodation daily (except Sunday)	8:25 a.m.	5:10 p.m

Railroad Time is 20 minutes faster than city time.
Ticket office, 278 Main street and at Depot.
W. J. ROSS, Gen'l Sup't.

Memphis and Louisville Railroad Line.

	DEPART.	ARRIVE.
Day Express	6:40 a.m.	8:40 p.m
Night Express	3:40 p.m.	9:15 a.m

(City Time.)
Ticket offices No. 237½ Main street and at Depot, head of Main street.
SAM. B. JONES, Gen'l Sup't.

CITY MATTERS.

ALCES' CIGARS sold everywhere. 1w

PASSMORE & Co. sell this morning at 10 o'clock a fine assortment of Engravings and mirrors, parlor furniture, etc.

SEVENTH Ward Democratic Club meets to-night (Tuesday) at their hall, corner of Beal and Hernando, at half-past eight o'clock. Punctual attendance requested.

THE STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING of the Memphis and Charleston road will take place at Odd Fellows' Hall (Chamber of Commerce rooms), on Wednesday the 26th inst., and not to-day as advertised.

FOR THE "RICHEST, rarest, latest, best," in the line of news and illustrated papers, go to Joe Locke, in the *Avalanche* building. He has all the periodicals, monthly, weekly and daily, and keeps constantly receiving a fresh supply. Call and see him.

MEMPHIS CLUB.—The members of M C. will attend a general meeting at 8 o'clock this evening, (Tuesday, August 25th.) The report of Committee on Hall and Janitor will be received and acted upon. A full attendance is expected. By order of the President.
LEW WEXLER, F. S.

REV. J. W. ROGERS' poem of the "Lost Cause" at the Baptist Tabernacle to-morrow night. Is it the poetry, elocution or popularity of the author that continues to draw such audiences week after week? Let's go and see. Tickets fifty cents.

SPIRITUALISM.—We are requested to state that the Mrs. Felts spoken of as the medium of the strange "spiritualistic" phenomenon, in the *Evening Ledger* of yesterday, was not, as stated, the aged widow of the late ex-Sheriff, but of the late Mark Felts, Esq.

THE WOLFF CASE.—The examination of witnesses for the defense, in this important case, closed yesterday. During the afternoon the case was argued by John Bullock, Esq., for the defense, and B. Newt Hart, Esq., for the State. 'Squire Kiernan reserves his decision until this morning at 10 o'clock.

BIG CORN.—We saw yesterday an ear of corn raised by T. B. Haines, within "three hundred yards of the corporation line," which weighed two pounds and six ounces. It is about three inches in diameter and thirteen inches long, containing eighteen rows. It is "some corn."

INFORMATION WANTED.—I wish to ascertain the fate of two young Englishmen, Keevil by name, who are supposed to have been connected with the Confederate army in a regiment raised at Memphis early in the war. It has been reported that they were both killed by a shell. Any information in regard to them or their fate will be gratefully received by their afflicted mother. Address A. B. Keevil, Nashville, Tenn.

A MUSICAL FEAST such as our readers have seldom enjoyed, will be presented to them on Tuesday next, 1st of September, at St. Peter's Church. A concert will be given by the choir of that church, assisted by several amateurs, under the direction of Prof. Winkler, the well known and accomplished organist of St. Peter's. The proceeds will be applied to charitable purposes. Due notice will be given of the programme and order of the entertainment.

DROWNED.—On Saturday afternoon, as two negro men, names unknown, were propelling a flatboat loaded with sand up stream, the steamer Mayflower passed them, and created such high waves that the flat was swamped. One of the negroes swam ashore and was saved, the other was drowned. We understand that the body was found at the foot of Gayoso street yesterday evening, an inquest held thereon, and a verdict in accordance with the above facts rendered.

COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT.—Let not our readers forget the grand complimentary benefit which our patriotic amateurs have tendered the Central Democratic Club, for the benefit of the Colored Democratic Club, on Friday evening next, August 28th. The play chosen for the occason is Tom Taylor's comedy, *Still Waters Run Deep*. Messrs. Strauss, Leubrie and Seessel, Miss Katie Gilbert, and Mrs. DuRivage are in the cast. A most delightful time is promised, and we hope the people will respond nobly to the call.

LAST WORDS OF THADDEUS STEVENS. The world will never know how Stevens left this life, that was provided against; so that the following must be accepted as the last authentic anecdote of his death-bed. "Thaddeus Stevens, a day or two before he died, was told of the recent accident to Ben Butler, in Worcester, when he was thrown from his carriage. 'It gives me great pain,' said the dying commoner, 'great pain.' Then closing his eyes, as his habit was in meditation, he murmured between his thin lips, 'great pain. His d—d neck wasn't broke, you say?'

COALS TO NEWCASTLE.—Under this heading, a few days ago, we spoke of the bankrupt sale of Huette & Co., and mentioned the fact that several Northern houses had written to the assignee, Mr. Cirode, asking for catalogues, etc. At the sale which came off a day or two ago, the heaviest purchasers were Messrs. A. B. Merriam & Co., of Cincinnati, who bought several hundred dollars' worth of drugs and chemicals, and had them shipped to Cincinnati. This is indeed shipping coals to Newcastle, and *strange* to say, our local merchants allowed these strangers to step in and purchase goods which in a few days or weeks they will want, and will be compelled to repurchase of them at a vast per centage advance. We know of goods—marketable goods—which were knocked off to these gentlemen from Ohio, at one-fourth of their original cost price. This shows either a lamentable state of impecuniosity among us, or a great lack of forethought and judgment. Which is it?

THE CAMPAIGN.

Meeting at Hickory Valley.

Correspondence of the Memphis Appeal.]
HICKORY VALLEY, TENN., August 22, 1868.

The meeting was called to order by Burley Mitchell, and he moved that Granderson Bills, one of the leading colored men of Hickory Valley, be appointed chairman, which was seconded and carried unanimously; after which several speeches were made. Among the speakers were Jackson Jones, Anthony Jones and Burley Mitchell, (belonging to the first Democratic Club of Memphis), who done great credit to themselves.

After the speaking a Democratic club was formed, which was composed of the leading colored men of this community.

The speakers came out very plainly and asked the colored men who were their friends—whether it was the Southern men or the carpet-baggers—and proved to them clearly which was the best for them, and we, the white citizens, think that they done a great deal of good in this district.
MANY CITIZENS.

MEMPHIS AND SELMA RAILROAD.

We clip the following from the Aberdeen (Miss.) *Examiner* of Saturday: "We are informed that Maj. W. J. Sykes, of Aberdeen, and Gen. Bedford Forrest, of Memphis, will next month commence a thorough subscription canvass through the counties that lie along the contemplated route of this road from Holly Springs to Selma. In this connection we will remark that a citizen of Okolona, who owns ten acres of land within her town limits—and who is one of her leading merchants—proposes subscribing one-half of it. This road, if built, (and who can doubt that it will be built), will depend principally upon land subscriptions for its construction, and we cannot doubt but that the people of Tennessee, Mississippi and Alabama, will be found equal to the occasion when the time arrives for them to give value and access to their vast possessions, by the investment or even donation of fractional portions. Apropos to this, we will state that capitalists have already proposed to furnish the money for the project, taking the lands at fair valuation and putting them upon the market. Speed the good work."

ROBINSON'S GREAT SHOW.—The splendid entertainments afforded last fall by the veteran John Robinson's combined circus and menagerie, elicited the unbounded praise of all classes, no one of which failed to be largely represented during its brief stay. The admirable manner in which everything was conducted dissipated the objections to which too many such entertainments were liable, and the most timid ladies felt as secure within the spacious pavilion as the most hardy men. During the past few months Mr. Robinson has made several important additions to his list of animals—among them the South American valpus, and also strengthened the troupe by engaging several splendid performers. In the list are Mr. James Kelly, now recognized as the champion leaper of the world, who easily vaults over fifteen horses, Ashton and two sons, magnificent gymnasts, and Mlle. Frances, tight rope danseuse. All the prominent members of the old company are retained, first of whom is Miss Cordelia, unquestionably the finest bare-back rider in the country, and whose daring feats creates feelings of mingled enthusiasm and apprehension. Lowlow, the celebrated clown, funnier than ever, is also along; Wilson, the four-horse rider, little Frank, now a fine equestrian, and others. Previous to each day's performance there will be a grand procession through the streets in somewhat the following order of march: From bluff down Shelby to Linden, up Linden to Main, up Main to Market, out Market to Second, down Second to Adams, out Adams to Charleston avenue, down the avenue to Jefferson, and through Jefferson to Front, and thence to bluff again.

TELEGRAPHIC PERSONAL.—From an article in a late number of the *Telegrapher* we clip the following notice of a couple of gentlemen well known in our midst. One especially—Col. Coleman—has won golden opinions for himself during his residence among us. With the first mentioned—C. G. Merriweather, Esq.—"Charlie," the writer, went to school years agone, at the old "Dauphine Way Academy," then taught by the present Judge B. Lewis of this city:

Chas. G. Merriweather, who is Superintendent Western Union Telegraph at Mobile, first entered the Mobile office some twelve years ago as messenger, and was appointed superintendent after the close of the war.

James Coleman, Superintendent at Memphis, Tenn., formerly in connection with H. A. Montgomery, owned a line between Memphis and Waynesboro', Tenn., connecting at the latter point with Nashville and Louisville and New Orleans. Mr. Coleman was also manager of the Memphis office. This line was consolidated with the S. W. Company. Mr. Coleman was engaged in the rebellion as an officer on the staff of Gen. J. C. Breckinridge, of whom he is a relation. Mr. Coleman is a gentleman of culture and refinement, and a universal favorite.

PERSONAL.

—We had the pleasure of making the acquaintance of Capt. J. W. Booth, of the Winona (Miss.) *Democrat*. He visits our city on the pleasant duty of "standing up" with Capt. C. A. Edwards, of Winona, who to-day leads to the altar one of the fairest daughters of Arkansas.

—Bronson Bayliss, Esq., who for some days past has been confined to his rooms by a bilious attack, was again on the streets yesterday.

—John S. Toof, Esq., of the firm of Toof, Phillips & Co., returned yesterday from an extended business visit North and East. He brings with him a large and varied assortment of groceries for family and plantation trade.

—Capt. James Shane, of the firm of Shane, Harris & Co., arrived in the city yesterday from a tour among his customers in West Tennessee.

GRAND MASS MEETING.—At a meeting of the Democratic Club of the Thirteenth Civil District of Shelby county, it was resolved to have a grand mass meeting, barbecue and basket picnic at the grove of Mr. Fred Cole, on the Horn Lake road, about six miles from Memphis, on Saturday the 29th inst. The public generally, irrespective of color, are invited to attend, and our neighbors of the Twelfth Civil District are especially called upon to be present and assist us on the occasion. Many able speakers have been invited and are expected to be present, and among them Mr. John Harris, and other distinguished colored Democratic orators have been especially invited to address their colored friends and point out to them the evils of Radicalism and the necessity of co-operation with their white neighbors in their efforts to free our State from common oppression and burdensome taxation.
W. A. DOOLY, President.
JAMES BRYSON, Secretary.

JOHN F. HARRIS.—This colored Democratic orator leaves to-day on the steamer Commercial for an election tour in Arkansas. We bespeak him a hearty welcome from the Democracy of our sister province.

FEMALE DIABOLISM.

Attempted Poisoning of a Family--The Plot Frustrated.

Yesterday Hiram Tolliver, a negro man who, it will be remembered, killed another negro some months ago in Fort Pickering, and was placed under bonds therefor by 'Squire Griffith went before the 'Squire and caused the arrest of two negro girls, named Susan Harris and Eliza Gones, on charge of attempting to poison him and his family by putting strychnia in his cistern.

A partial examination of the case was gone into by the 'Squire, which developed the following facts: The girls are some relation to the man whom Tolliver killed, and they have borne the latter enmity ever since the affair. In the neighborhood is an old negro who goes by the name of Uncle Dub, and who has the reputation of being a conjurer. To him these girls repaired on Saturday, and made a proposal to furnish him with some strychnia, which, for a sum of money, he agreed to put in Tolliver's well. The she devil procured the poison and furnished him with it on Sunday, but old Dub's heart failed him when the time came, and instead of carrying out the programme as arranged, he went to Tolliver, showed him the poison and betrayed the whole plot. Meanwhile, the girls got wind of Dub's movements and hid themselves, but were arrested yesterday, as we stated, and carried before 'Squire Griffith, who, after a preliminary examination, committed them to jail without bail. The further examination will take place this morning at 10 o'clock.

A SOLEMN DUTY—One that we owe not only to ourselves and to our families, but to the community, is to make some provision for the support of those dependent on us, after we shall have been called to render up our stewardship and to leave this for the world of spirits. Life Insurance, is the means that has been placed at our disposal to effect this great desideratum, and it should receive the earliest and most earnest attention of every man who has a family or relatives dependent on him for support. It is of paramount importance and should be attended to immediately. Delay is dangerous; disease or death may overtake you at any hour, and you may be suddenly cut down without a remedy to your family. Go, then, at once; stand not on the order of your going, but go, and insure your life for the highest amount that you are able. The New York Life Insurance Company, one of the most solid, the most accommodating and fairest companies in this country, is represented in our city. Go to its agents, Messrs. Theo. C. Caskin and S. D. McClure, at 279½ Main street, and take out a policy forthwith, before you are a day older.

A CARD.—Having placed the Des Arc in the White river trade for the accommodation of the public, and not with the object of opposition, I am induced to change the day from Thursday, as first advertised, to Tuesday, believing that it will be more advantageous. The Liberty No. 2 was placed alongside the Des Arc with the view of running her out of the trade, to avoid which I have altered the day, as I mean to remain in the trade and furnish the people with comfortable accommodations and cheap freights, believing that no person has a proscriptive right to monopoly, and the public will extend a fair share of patronage to those who seek to accommodate them. The C. O. D. business will be properly and promptly attended to and every effort made to place the Des Arc on a firm footing of popularity, as fully identified with the Memphis and White river interests.
Respectfully, JOHN D. ELLIOTT, Captain Steamer Des Arc.

A WORTHY LITTLE GIRL.—For some weeks past there has been about Jefferson street a bright little maiden who sold cigars and badges. Her name we are told is Agnes Bannon, and she is the daughter of a soldier who was killed during the late war on the Confederate side. For several days past we have not seen her, and yesterday we learned that she was detained at home by the illness of her mother, whom she entirely supports by her industry. She is a worthy object, and we hope the gentlemen will give the poor child all the encouragement they can in the hard struggle with life that she has so early begun.

THE SHELBY COUNTY AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL SOCIETY will hold its next meeting at the Chamber of Commerce, Memphis, at 10 o'clock a.m., Tuesday, 25th inst. All the members, and the citizens generally, are respectfully invited to attend. Subjects of much interest and great importance will come before the society for consideration at the above stated time and place.
A. B. HAYNES, President.
H. D. GREER, Secretary.

THE STEAMBOATMEN'S DEMOCRATIC CLUB.—One of the largest political gatherings that was ever held in Memphis assembled last night in Stillman Hall, it being the regular weekly meeting of the Steamboatmen's Seymour and Blair Club. Speeches were made by Col. Robertson and Jno. F. Harris. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed, and altogether the meeting was a great success.

ALL colored men of the Seventh ward are cordially invited to attend a meeting at Ferguson Hall on Thursday at 8½ o'clock p.m., for the purpose of organizing a Ward Democratic Club. Hon. J. W. Leftwich is expected to address the meeting.
STACK FOSTER,
JOURDON PEARSON,
WM. HENRY,
WM. GREER,
SPENCE MURRY.

FOR SALE.—Several hundred dollars of Commissioners' bonds for sale, of Bolivar, Washington and Issaquena counties of Mississippi, to be sold at a liberal discount. Apply to Duncan McLean, northeast corner of Madison and Main streets. 2t

ALCES' CIGARS are the best. 1w

NOTICE.—A report having by some means obtained circulation, that we would in the future discontinue the sale of cotton on commission, we take this method of pronouncing such report as utterly unfounded, and we fear of malicious origin. Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore received from the public, we hope still to merit a continuance of their confidence and patronage. We take pleasure in announcing that we will continue the cotton factorage, grocery and commission business, as heretofore, and will at all times be pleased to see and serve our friends. We are now receiving a large and carefully selected stock of goods, purchased by our Mr. Meacham in the Eastern markets, which we will sell at the lowest market prices. Our Mr. Treadwell will give his entire time and attention to the sale of cotton, and flatters himself that he will be able to give satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronage. We are, for the present, at No. 13 Union street, but will be in our new and commodious store, at our old stand, No. 9 Union street, by the 10th of September.
1w MEACHAM & TREADWELL.

FOR SALE.—A large fire-proof safe, double doors, in complete order. Apply to A. F. Dod, 274 Front street. au18-1w

THE COURTS.

CRIMINAL COURT—*Wm. Hunter, Judge.*—Met on yesterday, pursuant to adjournment. Mr. B. T. Reaves was sworn in and admitted as an attorney of this Court.

George Campbell, arrested on warrant for threatening to kill a negro—the defendant was bound over to keep the peace in the sum of $500.

In the case of the State vs. Dick Folwell, a *nol. pros.* was entered as to the defendant.

The case of the State vs. Joseph Spellman, indictment for larceny, continued by consent.

In the case of the State vs. J. H. Fisher, indictment for larceny—two cases—a forfeiture was taken against the defendant and his securities.

The case of the State vs. Eli Guthrie—two cases, one for arson and the other for larceny—continued, on affidavit of defendant, over to the next term of Court.

In the case of the State vs. Henry Pyner, indictment for larceny, the Jury rendered a verdict of "not guilty." The defendant was discharged.

To-day the calendar will be taken up in its regular order, as published.

CHANCERY COURT—*A. Alston, Clerk and Master.*—Taylor, McBean & Co., for use, etc., a few days since, filed ten bills in the Chancery Court against property owners in different parts of the city for the purpose of subjecting the property to the payment of the sums due for the Nicholson pavement placed on said property. We learn that about two hundred suits of this character are about being brought by the above named contractors. In fact, there are so many of them, that the attorneys for the contractors have had the attachment bills printed, leaving a blank for the name of the party defendant. Messrs. Humes, Poston & Webb and R. J. Morgan, City Attorney, represent the contractors in the above Chancery causes.

MUNICIPAL COURT—*Geo. W. Waldran, Judge.*—The jury in the case of the State vs. Burditt, indictment for misdemeanor, returned into Court last evening, stating that they were unable to agree upon a verdict and that it was impossible for them to agree. Col. McRae, counsel for defendant, informed them, "that rather than the county should be put to the expense of another trial he would be willing that the jury should return a verdict of guilty, and a fine of one cent against the defendant, so that the case might be carried up upon its merits to the next term of the Supreme Court.

The jury retired again and after some consultation, returned a verdict of guilty, and fined the defendant one cent. In addition to the above, the Court ordered as follows, in accordance with section No. 4817 of the Code of Tennessee:

Whereupon the court ordered that the said defendant, A. P. Burditt, Financial Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police Commissioners, be and is hereby forever removed from office, and that the Clerk certify a transcript of the records in this case to the Governor of the State of Tennessee that the vacancy may be filled.

Section 4817 referred to above is as follows:

If any judicial, ministerial or executive officer in this State is prosecuted for a misdemeanor in office under the provisions of this code and duly convicted, he shall, in addition to the punishment prescribed for such offense, be removed from office, and shall forever thereafter be disqualified from holding office under the laws and Constitution of the State.

It seems to be agreed upon by the counsel engaged, that in all the other cases against the Commissioners the same verdict will be rendered, and that the first case be taken up to the Supreme Court as a test case. To-day the case of The State vs. Beaumont will be called up for trial. The sci. fa. docket will be called to-day. All parties against whom forfeitures have been taken must appear and show cause why the same shall not be made final, or final judgments will be entered against said defendants.

SECOND WARD CLUB.—The regular weekly meeting of the Second Ward Democratic Club will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) evening at 8½ o'clock. Able speakers will be on hand to address the club. Prompt attendance is requested. By order of the President.
J. V. SAVAGE, Secretary.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.—The annual meeting of the stockholders in this corporation takes place in this city on the 25th inst. The attention of all interested is called to the fact, and to the notice in another column of Geo. Robertson, Esq., Secretary and Tsearurer. Stockholders and their families will be passed free over the road on showing the conductor their certificates of stock, from one day before until one day after the meeting. au20 tf

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WRAPPING PAPER.—If you would save your money, go to Brown & Dillard's, Sole Agents, 214 Front street, and examine their stock. They have all grades of the finest article Wrapping Paper, and are selling below Cincinnati prices. jy29 1m

PASCHALL HOUSE DRAWING.—Certificates in this grand drawing can be had in Memphis of Mr. E. S. Plummer, W. H. Passmore & Co., 260 Second street, and at Geo. Pattison & Co.'s bookstore, 317½ Main street. Circulars containing full particulars furnished on application to either of the above parties. jy28 3tawtf

HERNANDO ROAD PEOPLE wanting supplies for the table will do well by calling on S. M. Guest, just south of South street. au19 1w

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY APPEAL,
MEMPHIS, August 24, 1868.

The local finances of our city have been very much the same as last week. There is a gradual increase in the demand for loans from mercantile houses in good standing, and it is expected that this demand will grow larger until the crop begins to move, or say for the next thirty days. We can learn of no complaint with regard to our banks in this respect. They are all disposed to be as liberal as possible, and in all cases where applicants are known to be prompt they meet with such assistance as will enable them to go through without trouble. There is, to be sure, not the urgent demand for money which characterized last year.

In bonds and stocks there is some firmness, but quotations are nominal. City bonds are in active demand. Parties are seeking them as permanent investments, now that they are scarce and hard to find. Our people are at last waking up, and find that home securities are preferable to all others. Twelve per cent. is not secured on all investments, and though we have some regret that all the city bonds issued have not been taken by our own people, there is a grim sort of satisfaction in knowing that they are held by those abroad who want no better security than that afforded by these bonds, and the additional fact that we have from the first endeavored to make our capitalists see it in the proper light. The market was dull on Saturday at 49c, while to-day several sales were made at 50½c, and 51c could be realized upon a large amount. Mississippi Central and Mississippi and Tennessee bonds are in demand, as well as Memphis and Louisville Railroad stocks, but we could learn of no sales. Memphis and Charleston stock is firm in New York at 54@55c. There were no offerings here, but 53½c was refused for a small lot held by a broker.

Gold opened this week in New York at 146⅝, fell to 143¾, but rallied again and has gone up gradually, closing to-day at 145⅝. We have no sales to report except in small lots. Dealers buy at 142@143c. Selling at 144@145c.

The New York *Herald* of Friday morning severely denounces the bulls and bears in the gold market, and attributes the sudden rise and fall of the past few days to the speculation of a few vagabond foreign and native bankers, who control the markets. It says the fall of three per cent. in Government stocks was brought about entirely by artificial means, and a corresponding reaction awaits the market.

The New York stock exchange quotations at noon to-day were as follows: Old Tennessee bonds, 64; New Tennessee bonds, 63. Five-twenties, coupons of '81, 13¾; do '62, 13¼; do '64, 8⅞; do '65, 11¼; do new issue, 7⅞; do '67, 7⅞; 10-40s coupons, 8¼; 7-30s, second and third series, not quoted. Bonds firm.

City scrip, like bonds, is firm. Brokers are in the market and 70@72c was freely offered to-day for desirable pieces. Selling at 75@78c.

There is some disposition on the part of holders of county warrants to run the market up, and it is expected that prices will be better for some time, as the county taxes are now or soon will be coming in. Tax payers, we learn, show more willingness to come forward than usual. We did not hear of any large sales, but dealers buy all small sums offered at 52@53c. Selling at 55@57c.

Police scrip is active at 75c buying. Selling at 78@80c.

Editors Memphis Appeal:

I have observed articles in several of your late issues, in the financial department of news, stating that there is a determination on the part of our authorities to make *all* come up and *pay* their past dues, and that you have asked for the names of those in arrears, but have received no reply. Now, sir, judging from my own experience, your calling for the names of defaulters, and they won't come when you call them, is simply because there are none to come. I remember how, in my Sophomore days, in our trials of each other, we would quote, with much dignity, the well-known adage: *Fiat justitia ruat cœlum*; so I propose to hold up to the admiring view of your readers *one* of our officials, who cannot be said to be remiss in his duty. Mark how a plain tale will elevate him. In October, 1866, I paid county taxes to Mr. Phil. Garvin for that year. In the fall of '67, called to pay tax then due. Mr. Garvin named the amount due for that year, but that the tax for 1866 was not paid and my property had been sold on 1st July, 1867, for said taxes. Now, sir, do you want any more business promptitude than that? I informed Mr. P. G. that I had paid, and was told rather curtly to go and bring my receipt to prove it. Searched for receipt and couldn't find it. Knew I had paid it, but concluded it served me right for not putting it where I could put my hand on it at once; subsided gracefully; went through the routine, Clerk's fees, etc.; sent the money to the Commissioner at Nashville, the State being purchaser; got my receipt and property back; and shortly after found the lost receipt in the leaves of a book I had been reading; handed it in when I paid taxes to friend Powers, who hut-tutted considerably. Now, sir, I have dwelt thus long on the subject simply to prove (as I have already said) the promptitude and business habits of *some* of our officials. As to whether the same promptitude would have been shown, had I been at the top of the tree instead of so near the bottom—ah, well—why, deponent saith not. Respectfully,
JOHN LESLIE, 7 Madison street.

Since the issue of our last weekly this market has been enlivened by the presence of five bales of new cotton. The first bale of the new crop came from the plantation of Maj. Tyree, of Washington county, Miss., on Monday, the 17th inst., and was consigned to Mhoon & Co. This bale was forwarded to New York. The second bale was received by A. J. Roach & Co., also from Mississippi, and was sold to B. Bayliss, Esq., at 40c. It classed strict middling. The third bale came from Mississippi, was consigned to Moon & Geoghegan, and purchased at 42½c by J. C. Hornsby & Co., who forwarded it direct to Philadelphia. The fourth bale passed through on its way to New York from Carroll parish, La., via the Star Union Line. To-day Thos. H. Allen & Co. received the fifth bale. It came from the plantation of Col. L. G. Gallaway, of Bolivar county, Miss., will class low middling, and weighs 435 pounds.

The cotton markets for the week have fluctuated. The Liverpool market opened with Uplands at 10½d; Orleans, 11½d. On Thursday it declined ⅛d, and again advanced on Saturday to 10½d for uplands, closing easier to-day at unchanged quotations. Sales, 12,000 bales. The New York market for middlings has ranged from 29½ to 30c during the week, closing with a fair demand and prices higher but quiet; uplands, 30½c; Orleans, 31c; sales, 1500 bales. Stock in Liverpool Friday evening last, 570,000 bales, of which 215,000 were American. Stock afloat same date, 72,300 bales, of which 6000 bales were American. This market has been entirely nominal. Sales which did not make a dray load in the aggregate, were made at irregular rates.

COTTON STATEMENT.
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, MEMPHIS, August 24, 1868.

Stock on hand Sept. 1, 1867		1,080
Received to-day	3	
Received previously	253,165	253,168
		254,248
Exported to-day	0	
Exported previously	254,193	254,193
Stock on hand to-day, 12 m		55

Business during the week has been really dull. We are now between the seasons. The summer trade is over and fall trade has not yet set in, and will not do so before cotton begins to come in with some degree of activity. What the result of the growing crop will be depends altogether upon the weather, but so far we have no great reason to complain. The advantages gained by our hot summer bid fair to be offset by the rains, for though the cotton stalk is large and well developed, the bolls are not making rapidly, and from present indications will not be matured earlier than last year. The accounts of the worm which reach us conflict greatly. In some portions of the country, especially the bottom lands, they have done serious damage, but in the highlands so far we have heard no well founded complaints. From Mr. Dowdy, an old merchant and cotton planter, who has just returned from a visit to North Mississippi, we learn that the rumors which reached us from that section concerning the worm are groundless. What is known as the grass worm has made its appearance in myriads, but they are not destructive to cotton, and so far as we can ascertain, the boll worm has only been injurious in spots. Further South, in Louisiana and Texas, a considerable falling off may be expected from this cause, but in the more Northern latitudes we can see no reasonable grounds for apprehension about the crop, unless, as we have before said, the heavy rains should continue.

The dry goods trade has not been active so far as sales are concerned, but our merchants have been busily engaged receiving their fall stocks, which bid fair to be more than usually heavy this season, and well diversified as to styles and qualities. Several of our largest dealers are now in the Eastern markets and daily accessions to the already heavy receipts are coming in. As prices show no tendency to weakness, but on the contrary are very firm, we know of no better time than the present for country buyers to visit this market.

The boot and shoe market has not been active since our last, though some improvement is anticipated for the coming week. Prices are the same as last reported and will not be lower, as Eastern manufacturers are very firm on their fall stocks, and will not, like last year, flood the market in excess of the demand. Very few are making up goods beyond the immediate orders on hand, and prices are likely to be a fraction higher when the trade opens out briskly.

The provision market is hardly as firm as it was when the week opened, though there can not be said to be any weakness discernable. Meats of all kinds are somewhat lower, but the stock on hand is light in comparison to former years, and it would not astonish us to see the new hog crop come into market at figures even above the present rates.

Corn is getting scarcer and prices are higher than last week. A few small lots came in from above by packet, and sold on levee at 88@90c, but the ruling store prices are as quoted below. Hay is scarce in this market and we would caution our planters to save all the fodder possible, as we look for prices to rule very high this year. The entire European hay crop has been a failure, and already buyers are in the Northern markets for European account. The advance in prices has already been very material, and without the South husbands the crop of fodder now on hand she may expect to pay dearly for the neglect. We hope that this matter will receive due attention from our readers.

Apples come in steady and are in good demand for shipment.

All the other markets are about as they were last week.

BRAN—Stock large with light demand at $22@24 per ton.

BUTTER—Fair local demand, choice in small packages 38@40c; firkins 35c; common dull 25@30c.

BACON—Stock fair; sales of a few casks clear sides on levee at 17½@17⅝c; held in store at 18@18½c; clear rib 17½@17¾c; shoulders 14c; breakfast bacon 19@19½c.

BAGGING—The demand is increasing and market firm Todd's, 18@18½c; Kentucky heavy, 23½@26c; India, 26@27c.

CATTLE—Market dull; choice beeves 6@7c; inferior, 3@5c.

CHEESE—Prices nominally 14@17c for W. R.; factory and E D., —.

COFFEE—Firm at 23@27c for Rio; Java, 41@43c.

CORN—Stock light and prices firm with upward tendency; held in store at 95c@$1.

CORNMEAL—The stock is ample; kilndried, $4 60@4 75 from store; fresh at mills, $4 40@4 50.

CHICKENS—The demand is very good and prices are firmer; young, $3@3 50; old, $4 50@5.

EGGS—Light stock, selling at 25c.

FRUIT—Little coming in. Fair demand for choice apples at $2@2 50 per bbl.; dried apples, 5c; dried peaches, 7@8c.

FLOUR—Market is quiet. Superfine, $6 50@7 00; X, $9@9 50; XX, $10@11; XXX, and fancy family, $11 50@13.

HAY—No choice in market; stock of all kinds limited and prices tending upward; we quote at $17@23, as to quantity.

HAMS—Plain country 17@18c; plain canvassed, 17@18c; sugar-cured canvassed 19½@21c.

HOGS—Few in market and demand light at 5½@6c gross.

HIDES—Receipts lights. Dry flint 21@22c; dry salt, 17@18c; green salt, 10@11c; green, 8@9c.

LARD—Prices are steady. Kegs, 20½@21c; tierces, 19½@20c.

LIME—Eureka, $2 25; Alabama, Cape and St. Louis, $2.

MOLASSES—Fair stock. Sugarhouse, 65c@$1; Porto Rico, 65@85c; Syrups, 75c@$1 25.

MESS PORK—Firm at $31 in lots, $30 25@30 50 in jobbing way; prime mess, $28@28 50.

OATS—Fair supply in store; held at 60@65c.

OILS—Coal oil, 38@42c; lard oil, $1 40@1 75c; linseed, $1 20@1 40.

ONIONS—Fair demand at $2 50 per barrel from wagons.

POTATOES—There is some shipping demand at 60@70c per bushel, or $2 per barrel in bulk; sweet potatoes, $1 50@2 per bushel.

SHEEP—Dull at $1 50@2 50 for Tennessee; $4@4 50 for Kentucky.

SUGAR—Firm; prime to choice Louisiana, 16@18c; fair, 14@15c; Island, 13@16c.

TAR—In kegs per dozen, $5 75@6.

TOBACCO—Good stock and prices firm, with only a small trade doing.

WHEAT—Active demand from city millers; No. 1, $2@2 05; No. 2, $1 85@1 95; inferior, $1 60@1 75.

WHISKY—High wines are dull and offered freely at $1 10 free or 55c in bond; common whisky, $1@1 50; imitation Bourbon, $2; Bourbon, $2 50@3.

TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, August 24.—Flour dull; family $9 25@10. Wheat $1 95@2. Corn 92@93c. Oats 55c. Hay unchanged. Whisky held at 65c in bond. Pork, $28 75@29. Lard 18¾c. Bulk meats 12¾@14¾c. Bacon shoulders 13¾c; clear sides 17¾c; hams 21@22c. Butter 30@35c. Eggs 16c.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, August 24.—Tobacco steady at full prices. Flour, superfine $6@7. Wheat 5c lower. Corn 93@95c. Oats 50@52½c. Pork $29 35@29 75. Bacon shoulders 13¼@13½c; clear sides 17¼@17½c; hams 20c. Lard 18¼c. Whisky $1 25 free.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, August 24.—Cotton dull; old 29c; sales 100 bales; receipts 96 bales. Sterling 59¾@60 York sight ¼ premium. Sugar and Molasses unchanged. Produce receipts heavy. Flour dull; superfine $7 75@8. Corn dull $1 05@1 10. Oats steady at 62½c. Hay firm $25@27. Bran declined $1 15@1 17. Pork $30 25@30 50. Bacon easy; shoulders, 14c; clear sides 17½c. Lard steady; tierce 19½c; keg 21½c.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, August 24.—Tobacco firmer $7 25@15 25 for medium leaf. Wheat $2@2 16 Flour, superfine $6 75@7; fancy $11 50@12. Corn 90c. Oats 45@50c. Rye $1 25@1 30. Pork $29. Lard 18½c. Bacon shoulders 13½c; clear rib sides 16¾c; clear sides 17¼c. Bulk meats 12¾@16c. Whisky, raw free $1 25.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, August 24.—Cotton quiet; sales 1400 bales; uplands 30@30½c. Flour 25@40c lower. Whisky quiet at 71c in bond. Wheat 2@4c lower. Corn steady, $1 14@1 22. Rice quiet and unchanged. Coffee quiet and firm. Sugar 10⅝@10⅞c. Molasses 40c. Prints declined ½c. Best brands sheetings 17@17½c; second class 16@16½c.

Money—call loans 4c. Sterling dull, 9¼. Gold 145⅜@145¾. New Tennessee 62¼@62⅜. Two small stock brokers failed to-day.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, August 24.—Consols 94; bonds 71¾.

LIVERPOOL, August 24.—Cotton easier; uplands 10¼d; Orleans 11d; sales 12,000 bales. Breadstuffs dull.

RIVER MATTERS.

WEATHER AND RIVERS.

PITTSBURG, August 24.—River 18 inches and at a stand.

LOUISVILLE, August 24.—River falling, with 3½ feet in the canal.

Weather clear and warm.

MEMPHIS, August 25.—Weather clear and pleasant. The river fell 2½ inches in the past 24 hours. By the officers of the Commercial, we learn that White river is within two or three feet of the top of the banks and rising. All the tributaries are pouring out their floods. The Augusta *Sentinel* of Friday morning says: "Quite a rise in White river—some 15 or 20 feet at this point. Our beautiful and never failing White has thus been so replenished as to dissipate all fears of extreme low water this season." We learn that the Arkansas is again rising fast, from late rains. The Arkansas *Gazette* of the 22d says: "The river at sundown yesterday had fallen five inches, and was steadily declining, with seven feet in the channel to Napoleon. The Fort Smith will be down to-day, and furnish us with the stage of water to Fort Smith. We can safely report three feet to that point." There is seven feet to Cairo.

Arrivals.

Steamer Commonwealth, St. Louis.
" Commercial, White river.
" Mary Forsyth, St. Louis.

Departures.

Steamer Commonwealth, New Orleans.
" Natoma, Napoleon.
" Belle Memphis, St. Louis.

In Port.

Commercial, Mollie Hambleton, Mary Forsyth.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The landing on yesterday was quiet, though the arrivals and departures were about as usual on Monday.

The towboat Kellogg passed down yesterday morning. She laid all night in the bend above.

By a dispatch just received by Col. Robertson, of the Memphis and Little Rock Railroad, we learn that a rise of four feet is coming out from Fort Smith.

Capt. A. McVay, of the Robert E. Lee, passed through our city yesterday on his way to Louisville.

Jack Chambers, of the Caldwell, has recovered from his late attack of illness, and is able to eat his half of a fifty pound watermelon.

Now that old Arkansas is boomin', we may look for through boats to Little Rock and Fort Smith.

Jim Durff is taking French lessons. He boards at Gaston's. John says: Mon Dieu! zat man he eat ze frog at ze breakfast, ze dinnare and ze suppare—he eat nozing but ze frog.

The Mary Forsyth, Capt. Zeigler, with Mr. White in the office, backs out to-day at 5 p.m. for Cairo and St. Louis, making all way landings.

The Mollie Hambleton, Capt. Tom Bowman, with Paine Clark and Shell in the office, will get away to-day at her usual hour, for all points on the St. Francis river.

The U. S. mail steamer Commercial, Capt. John Edson, leaves to-day at 5 p.m. for all points on White river. She makes all connections promptly as a mail train. Clay Rice is her chief clerk.

The R. E. Lee will pass down on Monday next for New Orleans.

The Argonaut, Capt. Lusk, leaves at 10 a.m. to-day for New Orleans. She lands at the Star wharfboat.

A negro was drowned on Saturday night, at or near Fort Pickering, by the sinking of a sandboat.

Capt. Garrett Huls has returned from Cincinnati.

The new cotton press of Messrs. Walt & Montgomery, on Promenade street, will soon be completed. It will be one of the finest presses in the South.

The DeSoto Club will launch their new boat on Wednesday. She is now getting her last touches of paint.

The Cora S. will probably leave Louisville for this port to-day.

The upper rivers are still falling, and the difficulties of navigation ore increasing.

An advance on freight and passage has been agreed upon by most of the lines at St. Louis, in consequence of the low water.

The rates of freight to Shreveport are at present as follows: Dry barrel, $2 25; wet barrel, $3 00; and to Jefferson, from $4 to $6 per barrel.

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Stockholders and their families will be passed free to and from Memphis for one day before and until one day after the close of said meeting, by presenting their Stock Certificates to the conductor.

By order of the President,

au4 td GEO. ROBERTSON,
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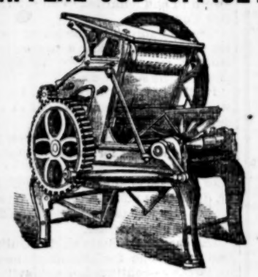

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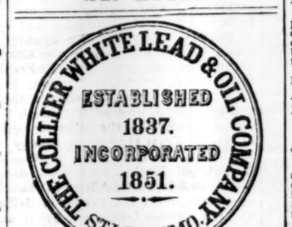

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Memphis, Tenn., the 15th day of August, A.D., 1868. WILLIAM Y. CIRODE,
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In the District Court of the United States, for the District of West Tennessee. In the matter of R. G. Matthews, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, District of West Tennessee—ss.

To whom it may concern:

THE undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of R. G. Matthews, of Memphis, in the county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.

Memphis, Tennessee, the 15th day of August, A.D., 1868. WILLIAM Y. CIRODE,
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In the District Court of the United States, for the District of West Tennessee. In the matter of John Martin, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, District of West Tennessee—ss.

To whom it may concern:

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of John Martin, of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, by the District Court of said District.

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